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PIETERS-WHEELER SEED COMPANY

GILROY, CALIFORNIA

WHOLESALE GROWERS

OF

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GARDEN SEEDS

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The Mark



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GACH year, it is growing more Gapparent that the production of Vegetables is becoming highly specialized and is fast getting into the hands of Truckers and Market Gardeners whose livelihoods depend largely on the quality of their products, and who demand from their Seedsman True Types of Highest Merit.

We have anticipated this growing demand for Select Strains of Carrot, Lettuce, Onion, Etc., Etc., and have for the past several years devoted a considerable acreage to Selection and Breeding work.

We are offering in this list, stocks, Carefully Bred, Critically Rogued, Cleaned and prepared with all possible care to prevent any mixtures. We believe that there are no better stocks obtainable and that you may depend on them to give satisfaction to your most critical trade. Seed of doubtful quality may be purchased cheaper, but why take chances? Quality will pay in the long run.

We respectfully solicit your business

PIETERS-WHEELER SEED COMPANY

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LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
	BEET	
	Crosby's Egyptian	.,
	Detroit Dark Red	
	Ex. Ey. Flat Egyptian	
	Edmund's Blood Turnip	
	Ey. Blood Turnip	
	Early Wonder	
	Good for All	
	Swiss Chard, See Page 6	
	CELERY	
	Golden Self Blanching Vilmorin (Old Type)	
	Golden Self Blanching Vilmorin (New Type)	
	White Plume	
	Giant Pascal	
	Golden Plume	
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	ENDIVE Broad Batavian, Full Hearted	
	Green Curled	
	Green Curled Red Ribbed	
	Green Curled Pancalier	
	Green Curled Ruffec	- 1

Select Carrot Stocks

We are doing extensive selection and breeding work on Carrot and offer Choice and Improved strains.

LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
	Amsterdam Forcing	
	Chantenay	
	Chantenay Long Type	
	Chantenay Red Cored	
	Danver's Half Long	
	Early Scarlet Horn	
	Hutchinson Danvers	
	Imperator	
	Imp. Short White	
	French Forcing	
	Long Orange Improved	·
	Nantes, Coreless	
	Oxheart	
	Orange or Yellow Belgian	
************	St. Valery	
	Tendersweet	
	White Belgian	
	White Mastodon	

Improved Lettuce Stocks

After devoting several years to SIN-GLE plant selection we are offering many improved strains of Lettuce, each of which is the progeny of a single plant.

Each year we are *hybridizing* many hundreds plants of the leading varieties, with a view to obtaining *NEW SORTS* and to *IMPROVING EXIST-ING TYPES*.

Our Lettuce crops are rogued by experts as many as four times while growing, and there are no purer or more highly bred Lettuce stocks produced than those which we are offering.

LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
•••••	All Seasons	
•	All the Year Round	•
	Big Boston Extra Select	
	Black Seeded Simpson	
•	Black Seeded Tennisball	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
	California Cream Butter	•
•	Chicken Lettuce	
•••••	Creamy Heart	
	Denver Market	
	Early Curled Simpson	••••••
	Grand Rapids, Improved	********
	Hanson Improved	
	Hubbard's Market	•••••••
	Iceberg.	•••••••

LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
	Lettuce, continued	
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Mammoth Black Seeded Butter	
	May King	
	Mignonette	
•••••	New York, P-W Selected	••••••
	New York No. 12, P-W	
	Paris White Cos	
	Dark Green Cos	
	Trianon Cos	
••••••	Prizehead	
	Salamander	
	Silesia Early Curled	
	Unrivalled	
	Wayahead	
	Wheeler's Tom Thumb	
	White Big Boston	·
	Imperial C	·
	Imperial D	
•	Imperial F	
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LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
	MUSTARD	
	Fordhook	
	Large Smooth Leaf	
	Ostrich Plume	
	Southern Giant Curled	
	Florida Broad LeafPARSLEY	
	Double Curled	
	Hamburg Rooted	,
••	Moss Curled	
	Plain	
	Triple CurledPARSNIP	
	Hollow Crowned	
	Improved Guernsey	
	Short ThickSALSIFY	
	Mammoth Sandwich Island SWISS CHARD	
	Dark Green Large Ribbed	•••
	Fordhook Giant	
	Lucullus	
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Onion Seed

One of Our Specialties

Onion is very susceptible to cross pollination. In order to eliminate all contamination and to maintain a true type, we are building up our stocks by mother bulb selection from carefully re-sorted bulbs of select strains. Each flower head is selfed by bagging. The seed obtained therefor becomes the product of an individual plant.

LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
	Ailsa Craig	
	Australian Brown	
	Denia (Improved Prizetaker)	
	Ebenezer	
	Gigantic Gibraltar	
	Large Red Wethersfield	
	Ohio Yellow Globe	
	Prizetaker (P-W Select)	,
	Phiadelphia Silverskin	
	Sweet Spanish, Riverside Strain	4
	Southport Red Globe (P-W Select)	
	Southport Yellow Globe	
	Southport White Globe	
•••••	White Portugal	·
	White Sweet Spanish	
	Yellow Flat Danvers	
	Yellow Globe Danvers	
	Yellow Strassburg (True)	

California Radish Seed

Is recognized to be of much higher vitality than imported.

We are growing our stock seed from TRANSPLANTED ROOTS and offer the product as CHOICE STOCK.

LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
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	Chartier	
	Chinese White or Celestial	
	Deep Scarlet Turnip	
	Early Scarlet Turnip	
	French Breakfast	
	Long Black Spanish	
	Long Scarlet Short Top	
	Round Black Spanish	
	Sparkler, Bright Scarlet, Half White Tipped	•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
	Vick's Scarlet Globe	•••••••
	White Tipped Scarlet Turnip	
	White Strassburg	•••••••

Sweet Peas

LBS.	VARIETY	Price Per lb.
	Supreme Spencer Mixed EXTRA SELECT STRAIN Our stock seed is made up from the finest named varieties and contains many of the latest and best types. Forty to fifty distinct varie-	-•
	ties, carefully blended, making a brilliant, showy mixture equal to anything grown.	
·	Spencer Mixed Field Grown	
	For those who require a cheaper mixture of Spencers, we are offering a Field Grown Mixture which contains many varieties, well balanced as to color.	
	Eckford's Best Mixed A bright mixture of selected Grandiflora types in proper proportion of shades of White, Pink, Lavender, Blue, Scarlet, Yellow and Variegated.	

This Agreement

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Pieters-Wheeler	
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WITNESSETH:

- 1. Seller agrees to sell and deliver and purchaser agrees to accept and pay for the varieties of seeds in the amounts, at the prices set forth in attached pages, and subject to the terms and conditions herein provided.
- Seller agrees to plant, or cause to be planted, during the season of 1933 an acreage of land which will produce, under normal conditions, an amount of seed of the varieties herein named which will be sufficient to enable the seller to deliver the quantities of the seeds herein contracted for; and the seller agrees to deliver as soon as possible after harvest, such seeds in good merchantable condition, as herein defined, F. O. B. growing station, containers extra at cost, and not returnable. The terms "in good merchantable condition" is defined as seeds properly cleaned for seeding purposes, approximately free from foreign seeds distinguishable by their appearance and of a germination equal to the fair average germination of the crop of the current vear.
- 3. In case of partial or total failure of any or all crops planted, or caused to be planted by the seller for the purpose of producing the varieties of seeds herein named, or, in case of damage to, or destruction of the seller's seed stocks before planting, or to the products of such plantings, or to any seed through fire, accident or other casualty beyond seller's control, the seller shall be obliged to deliver, if at all, proportional quantities only, and, in any event, the seller shall have the right to reserve an

amount of seed equal to that used in said

4. Purchaser shall make payment for seeds delivered, by a trade acceptance due and payable net 60 days from date of shipment, or by cash within 30 days from date of shipment, less a discount of $1\frac{1}{2}\%$. Purchaser shall pay interest at the rate of 7% per annum on any overdue payments of purchase price.

If, at any time, the financial condition of the purchaser becomes unsatisfactory to the seller, the purchaser agrees, upon receipt of written notice to that effect, and upon demand of the seller, to pay for the seeds in advance of shipment, less a cash discount of $1\frac{1}{2}\%$, and if such payment is not made within ten (10) days from the receipt of such demand for payment, this agreement shall thereupon be deemed to be breached by the purchaser.

5. Except as herein otherwise expressly provided, the seller gives no undertaking or warranty express or implied, as to description, quality, productiveness,. or any other matter of any seeds sold by it and will not be in any way responsible for the crop.

6. Purchaser's claims for shortage of deliveries must be made to seller immediately on receipt of shipment and all germination tests must be made and reported in writing (including telegram) by purchaser to seller within 15 days after receipt of shipment.

In Witness Whereof, the parties have hereunto set their hands on the day and year first above written.

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Terms:

Our terms to firms of approved credit are: 60 days Net Acceptance, or $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent Discount for cash inside of 30 days from date of invoice; F. O. B. Growing Station. Bags at Market Value, not returnable.

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Conditions of Sale:

We will continue to book contracts only as long as we have sufficient acreage, under normal conditions, to produce quantities sold. All sales subject to confirmation.

All Sales Made Subject to Customary Disclaimer of the Seed Trade

We give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, purity, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds we sell, and we will not be in any way responsible for them.

Besides varieties listed, we are prepared to grow from customers' stock, and will give special attention to such orders.

Correspondence Solicited



Pieters-Wheeler Seed Co.

(Incorporated)

GILROY, CALIFORNIA

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